

Patents Issued.
 patents issued last week to
 term inventors:
 A. Baxter, Seattle, Wash.,
 Jake; John H. Blum, Butte,
 lake-rest; John Burns, Minne-
 nna., storm window fastener;
 Erickson, Minneapolis, Minn.,
 lumb; Andrew Mahn, Two
 Minn., railway switch; Lu-
 son, Rothsay, Minn., rotary
 Maria A. Stevens, Waseca,
 position matter for coloring
 Rion G. Stingley, Franklin,
 Merwin, Patent Builder, 910,
 1012 Pioneer Press Building.

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ANIMALS LAP.

tion of Nature to over-indulgence. In certain animals lap seems to be an apture to prevent carnal, whose stomachs are small, from over-dis with water. Most hat such when drink-

ous and have large stomachs for unchewed food. Their digestion is therefore a little, if any, different, although not unknown with herbivorous animals, much more rapid however, and it is improbable not be delayed by large quantities of food. Lapping the food is probably misinterpreted as sucking, if it is supplied to the small quantities, properly mixed with saliva. It is assumed that the capacity for creating food for animals are therefore lapping may more highly developed than sucking.

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The rallying cry of
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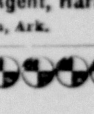
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Local News Notes.

Smith & Winslow, insurance.

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Harry Marx Sundayed at St. Cloud.

Lamb roasts and chops at Bane & Bane's.

For a nice juicy steak go to Bane & Bane.

Prof. A. E. Fritz returned to St. Cloud Monday.

Mrs. J. F. Hawkins is visiting Minneapolis friends.

H. W. Topping was in the city from St. Paul on Monday.

Store your stoves for the summer at D. M. Clark & Co's.

Spring chickens and chix without springs at Bane & Bane's.

Get some of these nice fresh wall-eyed pike at Bane & Bane's.

Rustic pearl holders, with No. 2 gold pins, \$1.75, at Sundberg's.

If you are fond of fish try these nice fresh pike at Bane & Bane's.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Doran and family were in St. Paul on Wednesday.

Nice beef stew 5 cents per pound at Bane & Bane's City Meat Market.

Miss Maud Brinson left on Wednesday evening for Missoula, Mont.

Miss Jennie Campbell, of Elk River, is visiting with the family of I. U. White.

Home made lard 10 cents per pound at Bane & Bane's City Meat Market.

Housekeeping outfits on the installment plan at the Hoffman Bazaar.

Mrs. E. E. Titus left Tuesday for New York, where she will visit for some weeks.

Bicycles for cash or installment. Hoffman & Hartley, No. 66, west Front street.

Get your Fireworks of all kinds for the Fourth of July at the Post-Office News Stand.

Given away with each BOY'S SUIT, a Base Ball and Bat, by J. F. McGinnis & Co.

Parties desiring storage room for stoves during the summer should call on D. M. Clark & Co.

Get your Lemonade, Milk Shakes, Pop, and all other Cold Drinks, at the Post-Office Annex.

Try our Canned Beef, 5 to 10 cents per pound. Once taken never forsaken. Bane & Bane.

Prof. Hathaway has gone to Shokopee, where he will have charge of the summer training school.

Get your choice morsels in meats at Bane & Bane's City Meat Market. Everything nice and fresh.

Teeth filled and crowned with Gold or Porcelain, and teeth extracted with Odontunder, at Dr. Ribbel's.

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N. B. Chase has resumed work for the government as estimator of lands and timber in the Red Lake area.

Tobacco users will find, in another column, an item of decided interest to them, headed "Don't Stop Tobacco."

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Murphy, of Aitkin, are the parents of a new daughter, born to them the first of the week.

Miss Claud Duber, of St. Cloud, who has been spending several days with Brainerd friends, returned home on Monday.

There will be no services at the M. E. Church next Sunday morning. The Sunday school will meet in the park at 12 m.

C. A. Wilkins, who has been at Wilmar, returned on Saturday, accompanied by his father and mother, who will make Brainerd their future home.

Mrs. E. W. Lynch was taken to St. Paul yesterday where she will undergo treatment for internal cancer. Mr. Lynch and Dr. G. S. McPherson accompanied her.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Miss Smallwood, Sixth street south, on Wednesday afternoon, July 8th, from 2:30 to 4:30.

The family of Mons Mahlum, who have been in Norway for some time, arrived home Wednesday morning, accompanied by Charles Mahlum, who will make his home in this city.

J. T. Sanborn yesterday morning took charge of the City Hotel and hereafter will have charge of it. Mrs. Closterman will return to Staples where she will again engage in the hotel business.

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D. M. Clark & Co. have just received a carload of stoneware.

Buy one of those \$1 Cameras that Atwood & Johnson have for sale.

Mrs. Sarah L. Sleeper returned from a visit to Minneapolis today.

Frank Murry, of Barnesville, is in the city renewing old acquaintances.

Rev. F. M. Eckman and bride arrived in the city today from Rockford, Ill.

The people of Ft. Ripley will properly celebrate the national holiday to-morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pennell went to Detroit today to visit until after the Fourth.

Ice cream will be served all day and evening July Fourth at the Post-Office News Stand.

Buy one, two or three of those spring chickens at Bane & Bane's Market for your Sunday dinner.

Dr. Williams, of the Chippewa Indian Commission, left on Monday for his home at Oxford, Alabama.

A. L. Nutting is now the proprietor of the post-office news stand having bought F. Luken's interest.

C. D. Johnson left last night for Mankato where he will visit with his relatives and friends for a few days.

John Lound and Matilda Sophia Peterson were united in marriage by Special Municipal Judge Warner on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wieland returned from a month's visit in Ohio on Wednesday, and were accompanied by Miss Sophia Wieland who will remain here during the summer.

James R. Smith left last evening for a month's visit at his old home near Ottawa, Canada, accompanied by his brothers I. N. Smith, of Staples, and Ezra Smith, of Minneapolis.

A union service will be held in the park on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. The Baptist, Congregational and Methodist churches participating. All are cordially invited. Rev. R. C. Opie preaches.

Mrs. E. M. Westfall gave a reception to Miss Jennie Towne and Miss Maud Brinson on Tuesday evening. Between forty and fifty invited guests were present and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

S. L. Bean returned from Saratoga on Tuesday, where he had been in attendance at a convention of master mechanics. The gentleman was greeted on his return by a new son, which was born on Monday last.

Mrs. Geo. B. Foster, of Peoria, Ill., arrived in the city today. Judge Foster will join her here next week and they will spend some time visiting Mrs. W. A. Fleming, Mr. Foster's daughter, and other relatives.

General Superintendent Winters and Auditor Snyder, of the Brainerd & Northern Minnesota Railway, returned on an inspection of the road today. Mr. Winters has taken charge and will make his headquarters in this city.

There are to be special services at the Congregational Church next Sunday. Rev. Edmonds completes the third year of his pastorate, and will preach a sermon appropriate to the occasion. This will be followed by the Lord's supper. All are cordially invited to attend.

There seems to be no end to the new ways of celebrating the Fourth of July. The Youth's Companion special number this year has three stories of exciting celebrations each of which is different from any ordinary celebration. This special issue is so attractive that every member of the family will read it.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Drysdale, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Gifford, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Pearce, Miss Walker, Miss Teas Drysdale, Miss Kate Pearce, Messrs. Earnest Jones, Ed. Michie, Albert Johnson, R. O. Drysdale, of this city, and Miss Claude Duber and Messrs. J. J. Michaelson, J. J. Fritz, A. E. Fritz, of St. Cloud, spent several enjoyable days at Sanborn's cottage at Gull Lake the first of the week.

A. T. Kimball, of Polkville Creek, was in the city Tuesday on his way to St. Paul as a delegate to the state convention. Mr. Kimball states that the destruction to his farm and buildings by the recent break in the government reservoir is even worse than reported in this paper last week. The farm, with the exception of the upland portion, is destroyed for usefulness forever, and the meadows will never be of any benefit to him again. He has removed his family to this city, but is still undecided as to his future action.

People who wish to go to Buffalo to attend the N. E. A. convention, who want fast time, the most excellent train service and superior accommodations, will do well to consider the Nickel Plate road before purchasing tickets. A fare of \$12 for the round trip will apply with \$2.00 added for membership fee. Tickets will be on sale July 5th and 6th with liberal return limit and with privilege of stop over at Chautauque Lake. Additional information cheerfully given on application J. Y. Calahan, General Agent, 111 Adams Street, Chicago, Ill.

The excursion to Walker and Leech Lake tomorrow will be a very enjoyable affair, and those who attend can depend that their comfort will be looked after by the committee in charge. The people of Walker have made great preparations for the reception of their Brainerd neighbors. There will be refreshment stands and edibles in abundance and those who do not desire to take their lunch baskets can be accommodated at moderate prices on the grounds. The train will leave the N. P. depot at 7 a. m., and will stop at East Brainerd and the B. & N. M. depot for the accommodation of passengers.

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Harry Marx Sunday at St. Cloud.

Lamb roasts and chops at Bane & Bane's.

For a nice juicy steak go to Bane & Bane's.

Prof. A. E. Fritz returned to St. Cloud Monday.

Mrs. J. F. Hawkins is visiting Minneapolis Friday.

H. W. Topping was in the city from St. Paul on Monday.

Store your stores for the summer at D. M. Clark & Co's. 11-14.

Spring chickens and chix without springs at Bane & Bane's.

Get some of these nice fresh wall-eyed pike at Bane & Bane's.

Rustic pearl holders, with No. 2 gold pins, \$1.75, at Sundberg's.

If you are fond of fish try these nice fresh pike at Bane & Bane's.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Doran and family were in St. Paul on Wednesday.

Nice beef stew 5 cents per pound at Bane & Bane's City Meat Market.

Miss Maud Brinson left on Wednesday evening for Minnesota, Mont.

Miss Jennie Campbell, of Elk River, is visiting with the family of I. U. White.

Home made lard 10 cents per pound at Bane & Bane's City Meat Market.

Housekeeping outfit on the installment plan at the Hoffman Bazaar.—14.

Mrs. E. E. Titus left Tuesday for New York, where she will visit for some weeks.

Bicycles for cash or installment. Hoffman & Hartley, No. 66, west Front street.

Get your fireworks of all kinds for the Fourth of July at the Post-Office News Stand.

Given away with each BOY'S SUIT, a Base Ball and Bat, by J. F. McGinnis & Co.

Parties desiring storage room for stoves during the summer should call on D. M. Clark & Co's. 11-14.

Get your Lemonade, Milk Shakes, Pop, and all other Cold Drinks, at the Post-Office Annex.

Try our Canned Beef, 5 to 10 cents per pound. Once taken never forsaken. Bane & Bane's.

Prof. Hathaway has gone to Shokape, where he will have charge of the summer training school.

Get your choice morsels in meats at Bane & Bane's City Meat Market. Everything nice and fresh.

Teeth filled and crowned with Gold or Porcelain, and teeth extracted with Odonunder, at Dr. Ribbel's.

Good furnished room for rent; also good barn in a good location. Apply at No. 44 Fourth street north.

We BUY, SELL or TRADE anything and everything at the Second Hand Store. A. L. HOFFMAN & CO.

N. B. Chase has resumed work for the government as estimator of lands and timber in the Red Lake country.

Tobacco users will find, in another column, an item of decided interest to them, headed "Don't Stop Tobacco."

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Murphy, of Aitkin, are the parents of a new daughter, born to them the first of the week.

Miss Claud Duber, of St. Cloud, who has been spending several days with Brainerd friends, returned home on Monday.

There will be no services at the M. E. Church next Sunday morning. The Sunday school will meet in the park at 12 m.

C. A. Wilkins, who has been at Wilmar, returned on Saturday, accompanied by his father and mother, who will make Brainerd their future home.

Mrs. E. W. Lynch was taken to St. Paul yesterday where she will undergo treatment for internal cancer. Mr. Lynch and Dr. G. S. McPherson accompanied her.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Miss Smallwood, Sixth street south, on Wednesday afternoon, July 8th, from 2:30 to 4:30.

The family of Mons Mahlum, who have been in Norway for some time, arrived home Wednesday morning, accompanied by Charles Mahlum, who will make his home in this city.

J. T. Sanborn yesterday morning took charge of the City Hotel and hereafter will have charge of it. Mrs. Closterman will return to Staples where she will again engage in the hotel business.

THE SECOND HAND STORE is the OLDEST Housefurnishing INSTALLMENT HOME in the city.

Spring stock of minit carpets just in at D. M. Clark & Co's.

D. M. Clark & Co. have just received a carload of stoneware.

Buy one of those \$1 Cameras that Atwood & Johnson have for sale.

Mrs. Sarah L. Sleeper returned from a visit to Minneapolis today.

Frank Murry, of Barnesville, is in the city renewing old acquaintances.

Rev. F. M. Eckman and bride arrived in the city today from Rockford, Ill.

The people of Ft. Ripley will properly celebrate the national holiday tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pennell went to Detroit today to visit until after the Fourth.

Ice cream will be served all day and evening July Fourth at the Post-Office News Stand.

Buy one, two or three of those spring chickens at Bane & Bane's Market for your Sunday dinner.

Dr. Williams, of the Chippewa Indian Commission, left on Monday for his home at Oxford, Alabama.

A. L. Nutting is now the proprietor of the post-office news stand having bought F. Lake's interest.

C. D. Johnson left last night for Mankato where he will visit with his relatives and friends for a few days.

John Lound and Matilda Sophia Peterson were united in marriage by Special Municipal Judge Warner on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wieland returned from a month's visit in Ohio on Wednesday, and were accompanied by Miss Sophia Wieland who will remain here during the summer.

James R. Smith left last evening for a month's visit at his old home near Ottawa, Canada, accompanied by his brothers I. N. Smith, of Staples, and Ezra Smith, of Minneapolis.

A union service will be held in the park on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. The Baptist, Congregational and Methodist churches participating. All are cordially invited. Rev. E. C. Opie preaches.

Mrs. E. M. Westfall gave a reception to Miss Jennie Towne and Miss Maud Brinson on Tuesday evening. Between forty and fifty invited guests were present and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

S. L. Bean returned from Saratoga on Tuesday, where he had been in attendance at a convention of master mechanics. The gentleman was greeted on his return by a new son, which was born on Monday last.

Mrs. Geo. B. Foster, of Peoria, Ill., arrived in the city today. Judge Foster will join her here next week and they will spend some time visiting Mrs. W. A. Fleming, Mrs. Foster's daughter, and other relatives.

General Superintendent Winters and Auditor Snyder, of the Brainerd & Northern Minnesota Railway, returned from an inspection of the road today. Mr. Winters has taken charge and will make his headquarters in this city.

There are to be special services at the Congregational Church next Sunday. Rev. Edmonds completes the third year of his pastorate, and will preach a sermon appropriate to the occasion. This will be followed by the Lord's supper. All are cordially invited to attend.

There seems to be no end to the new ways of celebrating the Fourth of July. The Youth's Companion special number this year has three stories of exciting celebrations each of which is different from any ordinary celebration. This special issue is so attractive that every member of the family will read it.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Drysdale, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Gifford, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Pearce, Mrs. Walker, Miss Tena Drysdale, Miss Kate Pearce, Messrs. Earnest Jones, Ed. Michie, Albert Johnson, R. O. Drysdale, of this city, and Miss Claude Duber and Messrs. J. J. Michaelson, J. J. Fritz, A. E. Fritz, of St. Cloud, spent several evenings at Sanborn's cottage at Gull Lake the first of the week.

A. T. Kimball, of Pelican Creek, was in the city Tuesday on his way to St. Paul as a delegate to the state convention. Mr. Kimball states that the destruction to his farm and buildings by the recent break in the government reservoir is even worse than reported in this paper last week. The farm, with the exception of the upland portion, is destroyed for usefulness forever, and the meadows will never be of any benefit to him again. He has removed his family to this city, but is still undecided as to his future action.

People who wish to go to Buffalo to attend the N. E. A. convention, who want fast time, the most excellent train service and superior accommodations, will do well to consider the Nickel Plate road before purchasing tickets. A fare of \$12 for the round trip will apply with \$2.00 added for membership fee. Tickets will be on sale July 5th and 6th with liberal return limit and with privilege of stop over at Chautauque Lake. Additional information cheerfully given on application J. Y. Calahan, General Agent, 111 Adams Street, Chicago, Ill.

The excursion to Walker and Leech Lake tomorrow will be a very enjoyable affair, and those who attend can depend that their comfort will be looked after by the committee in charge. The people of Walker have made great preparations for the reception of their Brainerd neighbors. There will be refreshment stands and edibles in abundance and those who do not desire to take their lunch baskets can be accommodated at moderate prices on the grounds. The train will leave the N. P. depot at 7 a. m., and will stop at East Brainerd and the B. & N. M. depot for the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Eckman will visit with Rockford friends tomorrow, leaving Friday for St. James, Minn. At that place they will spend about a week with relatives and friends. From there they will go to Brainerd and begin their life work at once, taking with them the sincere regards of hosts of Rockford friends.

Taken Up.
Came into my enclosure Friday June 26th, one red bull, about two years old. Owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take him away.
A. A. LEIGHTON.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Largest U. S. Gov't Report

Valley Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

BRainerd's CELEBRATION.

Tomorrow Will be a Day Day in This City. Plenty of Fun For All.

The booming of the cannon will awaken the drowsy inhabitants of this city at an early hour tomorrow morning and the small boy will be in his glory. It is the National holiday and as such will be fittingly observed in Brainerd. The entire programme for the day's sports has been completed and will be carried out to the letter. The forenoon will be given to the calisthumpian parade and it will be a sight to see. At 1 p. m. the mounted sword contest will occur and at 1:30 the oration will be delivered by Hon. D. B. Johnson at the City Park. The programme as published in the Dispatch last week has not been materially changed. The following will give our readers an idea of what they can see and the order in which it will be presented:

RACES, CONTESTS AND PRIZES.

For the most uniquely costumed mounted person in the parade, \$5.00.

For the most uniquely costumed pedestrian in the parade, \$5.00.

For the most uniquely costumed pig in the parade, \$5.00.

The most originally costumed mounted bicycle rider, male or female, in the parade, a special prize consisting of a solid gold bicycle medal valued at \$15.00 has been presented by John W. Brown, State Deputy Supreme Commander of the Knights of the Macabees. This prize will be placed on exhibition with the McFadden Drug Co.

Tug of war, one prize to be divided between the members of the winning side, \$10.00.

Greased pig, one prize, the pig to be given to the person who catches it and ties it to the City Park fence.

Greased pole, one prize, \$2.00. A two-dollar bill nailed to the pole. The pole will be given to the first person who climbs the pole and takes it off. First entry gets first trial, and so on to the end, one trial to each until the money is taken. No boosting or spikes will be allowed to aid contestants.

Half mile foot race for men, once around the track, three prizes, \$1.00, \$2.00 and \$3.00.

Potato race, two prizes, \$1.00 and \$2.00.

Outing pole, two prizes, \$1.00 and \$2.00.

Hurdle race, on foot, two prizes, \$1.00 and \$2.00.

Obstruction race, through headless barrels, two prizes, \$1.00 and \$2.00.

Slow race, one prize of \$5.00. No owner allowed to ride his own animal. This race is open to horses, ponies and mules. Riders to be changed by the judges at time of race.

Sack race, prizes of \$1.00 and \$2.00.

Egg and spoon race, one prize of \$2.00.

Three-legged race, one prize, \$3.00.

One hundred yard girls' and ladies' race, three prizes, \$1.00, \$2.00 and \$3.00.

Boys' race of 200 yards, three prizes, 50 cents, \$1.00 and \$1.50, open to boys under 16 years of age.

These races and contests will take place at the north side of the Park immediately after the speaking. Entries to all contests free. Entries will be made at any time on application to A. L. Hoffman.

Judges—A. F. Ferris, A. J. Halsted, L. W. Chase and C. P. McLean. Director of Races—Alex. McPherson.

Announcer and Entry Clerk—A. L. Hoffman.

Property Men—W. P. Buckley and Alex. McPherson.

BASE BALL.
Manager Buckley has made arrangements for a fine game of base ball at Athletic Park at 4 o'clock p. m. on the Fourth between Sauk Centre and Brainerd. Both nines are good, and a very interesting game is expected.

Married at Rockford.
The Rockford, Ill., Register contains the following account of the wedding of Rev. F. M. Eckman, of this city to Miss Marie Pauline Hawkins, which occurred in that city on June 24:

This evening in the First Lutheran church will be celebrated the nuptial ceremony of Rev. F. M. Eckman, of this city to Miss Marie Pauline Hawkins. The announcement of the wedding has aroused a feeling of pleasurable interest in the popular young couple and the wide circle of friends of both will have but one regret, the removal of the bride from the city of her birth.

Mr. Eckman was assigned to Rockford to assist in the ministerial work of the first Lutheran church of this city. The bride at that time was a member of the church choir and was well known to the minister.

The bride and groom were frequently met by the friends of both who were joined in the bonds of wedlock, and it is the wish of every friend that the romance so prettily begun may last through life for the happy pair.

Mr. Eckman has, since his work in Rockford, been ordained and is now installed as pastor of a prosperous Swedish Lutheran church at Brainerd, Minn.

Life is a young man of much ability, with scholarly inclinations, and has a bright future before him in his life calling. The bride has spent her life in this city and has grown into the hearts and affections of every acquaintance with advance of each ability, the successful young lady of refinement and many accomplishments, with which are most happily combined grace of feature and disposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Eckman will visit with Rockford friends tomorrow, leaving Friday for St. James, Minn. At that place they will spend about a week with relatives and friends. From there they will go to Brainerd and begin their life work at once, taking with them the sincere regards of hosts of Rockford friends.

Knights of the Macabees.
Mr. John W. Brown, state deputy will be at the office of Drs. Camp and Thabes every evening next week from 7 to 9:30. All persons wishing to become charter members of the tent to be organized here, or seeking information regarding it, will please call and see him. Medical examinations will be made at the same time.

Notice to Teachers.
A teacher's summer school will be held in the Washington school, this city, beginning July 6th, and continuing one month. Prof. Avery, of the St. Cloud Normal School will be the conductor. We look for a large attendance and a good school.

J. A. Wilson,
County Supt. of Schools.

Send in your bicycle repairing. We guarantee you good work and prompt attention. Complete line of bicycles and supplies in stock.

St. Cloud Cycle Co.,
St. Cloud, Minn.

Richard & Pringle's Famous Georgia Minstrels.

The above named great minstrel show will appear at Sleeper Opera house next Thursday evening, July 9th. This is one of the very finest attractions in the line of minstrelsy that the people of Brainerd are likely to see this year. It consists of thirty people, among whom are Billy Kersands, who has amused the whole country; Craze, the boneless wonder; Neil Moore, the comedian; Jalvan, the Hindoo juggler; Eugene Hillman, punster; and more than twenty other strong specialty people. The Piesnanny Quartette and the famous Crescent City Quartette are also worthy of special mention.

This great show travels in its own cars, and is equipped with all the accessories necessary for giving a first-class minstrel entertainment.

All who attend are specially requested to come early, as the time required to present the full program makes an early start necessary.

The prices have been fixed very low for so fine an attraction, 50 and 75 cents for reserved seats, 35 cents for general admission, and 25 cents for gallery. Reserved seat sale will open on Monday morning at the McFadden Drug Co's store. Look out for the street parade at 11:30 a. m.

The Picnic.

The railroad picnic was a decided success, it taking twenty eight coaches from Brainerd and Staples alone, and even then the platforms were crowded with people unable to get a seat. The match game of ball between the Brainerd Browns and the Detroit was won by the latter after eleven hotly contested innings, by a score of 9 to 7. Brainerd lost the first in the first inning. They had two men out and two strikes, and when at the third strike the ball was batted to second, a fumble was made and then a wild throw to first. Later in the day the Brainerd "kid" team beat the Detroit bats. John Schmelz won the half mile bicycle race, the prize for which was a handsome silk umbrella. With riding on the steamers, launches, rowing and sailing, with two dances going on in full ball, everybody and his neighbor seemed to enjoy themselves. The band boys acquitted themselves admirably, and deserve credit for the music rendered.

—Staples World.

Stayed Another Week.

The Paul T. Wilkes Stock Company are playing at the Sleeper opera house this week and tonight (Friday) will present "Foggy Ferry," and Saturday evening's announcement being "Under Two Flags." The prices are 10, 15 and 20 cents, and the company are giving satisfaction. The opera house management is attending to ventilation and furnishing food spring water for the patrons which makes the heretofore uncomfortable task of attending entertainments in hot weather in this city one of pleasure.

GIVEN AWAY with each Boy's Suit a **BASE BALL** and **BAT** by J. F. McGinnis & Co.

William McKinley.
Agents wanted to sell the Life and Speeches of McKinley, with proceedings of St. Louis Convention, platform of party and other valuable information. 520 pages, with 20 full page illustrations. Price, cloth, \$1.00. Half morocco, \$1.50. Sixty per cent discount to agents. Send 50 per cent for prospectus and full particulars, and go to work at once. You can sell 200 copies in your town. Address J. S. Ogilvie Publishing Company, 57 Rose street, New York.

Fort Ripley Celebration.

The celebration of the Fourth of July at Fort Ripley will include as part of the program the following public school exercises:

Song, Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean.

Reading of the Declaration of Independence.

Address—County Superintendent Wilson.

Recitation, The Flag of Our Nation.

Recitation, Making My First Speech.

Dialogue, The Four.

Recitation, The Blue-eyed Boy.

Recitation, Billy's Speech.

Recitation, The Little Red Boy.

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At Ventnor, Isle of Wight, the skeletons of thin human beings were found imbedded in chalk cliffs, near the railway station. They belonged to an early British period.

The city of London is older than that of Edinburgh, the former being in existence before the invasion of the Romans, while the latter was founded by the Saxons in the eighth century.

The last heads set over Temple Bar were those of Fletcher and Townley, the rebels, in 1746. The last of the stocks or spikes were not removed until the commencement of the present century.

Cycling has become so fashionable among young women in London that it has given rise to a new profession for older but still active women—that of cycling chaperon.

In four European towns Hebrews are most numerous—viz., Amsterdam, 1 in 32; Frankfurt, 1 in 17; Amsterdam, 1 in 17; Warsaw, 1 in 8. In Jerusalem the Hebrews are 1 in 2 of the other inhabitants.

Frequent vigorous rubbing of the hands will promote the circulation and keep the skin in good condition. Care should be taken of the nails, too—they should be soaked in hot water occasionally and kept neatly trimmed.

Lizards, it is well known, are attracted by the notes of music, and the negroes in the island of Madeira, when catching them for food, accompany the chase by whistling some tune which invariably has the effect of drawing great numbers towards them.

A quarrel among women as to the proper costume for the bicycle is one of the subtlest indications of surviving femininity that no woman appreciates. Why can't they wear them or not, as suits them individually, just as men would in a similar case?

When a European doctor is admitted, and the case is rare, to see a sick woman in the harem, he finds her covered with a black sheet, so that only her eyes and mouth are visible. Many of the beauties die because the doctor is not allowed to diagnose their symptoms.

The etiquette of introduction is that the inferior shall always be presented to the superior. The gentleman is, therefore, introduced to the lady, not the latter to him, because, in all ranks of society, women are accorded the place of honor.

It is an interesting fact, and one showing how little have been the surface changes wrought in agricultural Wales, that a well-defined Roman road exists to this day in the very heart of Llanidloedd, and with a few breaks can be traced to the outskirts of Magos, a couple of miles away.

The terrible exposures made by Gordon in 1870 of the cruelties practiced in the Egyptian slave caravans aroused all Europe, and compelled the dealers to be more circumspect. Still, no year passes without the entry of great numbers of ebony-skinned slave girls into the harems of Cairo and Alexandria.

It is not known positively who composed the music of the "Hundred and One," but it has been generally attributed to Luther. Most certainly it was neither Purcell nor Handel, for the composition has been found in a French psalter of the middle of the sixteenth century, some years after Luther's death.

A St. Louis paper attributes a large percentage of the injury done to streets to the use of the automobile, and says the city could well afford to relieve all vehicles using wide tires from the payment of license. It thinks the amount would be easily saved in street repairs. Wouldn't this be a good idea for any city to adopt?

The Hotel Cecil is a magnificent addition to the splendors of London. It is said to be larger than any other hotel in Europe, and to yield in size only to one or two in the United States. But it is less by its thousand rooms than the Hotel Cecil compels admiration than by the splendor and good taste of its architecture and interior decorations.

The educational institution for colored pupils founded at Tuskegee, Ala., by Booker Washington, has 78 teachers and an attendance of 1,180. The pupils earned \$45,288 last year in their shops and dairies, and the school received in gifts nearly \$60,000. Here is an instance of what can be accomplished by a capable and resolute leader in a good cause.

A New York "mascher," who attempted to flirt with two young ladies on a ferry boat the other day had an umbrella smashed over his head by one of them, was pounded in the face by another, knocked down and kicked by a stalwart young man and afterwards arrested and held in \$500 bail for trial just as a little lesson in ferry-boat etiquette.

London Engineering volunteers the prophecy that bicycling "will go out like snuff, just as roller skating did." The enthusiastic wheelman will resent this, and justly. Roller skating was always objectionable in the possible associations it engendered. It afforded neither wholesome exercise nor froth air, and was solely for amusement. To compare it with cycling is absurd.

Beds are quite an innovation in Russia, and many of the Russian houses are still without them. Peasants sleep on the top of their ovens; middle class people and servants roll themselves up in sheepskins and lie down near stoves; soldiers rest upon wood on coats without bedding; and it is only within the last few years that students in schools have been allowed beds.

It is well known to jewelers that aluminum will mark a glass or "paste" diamond, but not a true gem, provided the surface is wet. This fact has now been applied to the production of a mechanical tester, which consists of a small disc of aluminum, rapidly revolved by an electric motor. The stone to be tested is wetted and held against the edge of the disc by means of a spring clamp.

THE NEWS RESUME.
DIGEST OF THE NEWS FROM ALL
PARTS OF THE WORLD.

A Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week Collected From the Telegraph Reports—The Notable Events at Home and Abroad That Have Attracted Attention.

The Nation's Capital.
The plan of field operations of the geological survey for the season of 1896-97 has been completed and approved by the acting secretary of the interior.

A court martial has been ordered by the secretary of the navy to assemble at the Mare Island navy yard for the trial of 75 cents a day. They have been getting 40 cents. Others, who refused to quit were caught going or coming to the factory and assaulted. A court martial has been ordered by the secretary of the navy to assemble at the Mare Island navy yard for the trial of 75 cents a day. They have been getting 40 cents. Others, who refused to quit were caught going or coming to the factory and assaulted.

People Talked About.
Gen. A. J. Campbell, the well known Republican orator of Los Angeles, Cal., has been elected to the presidency of the National Association of Manufacturers.

William Black's latest novel, "Bris-eis," has proved a greater success than his previous work. It has been translated into French and German. The name of the heroine was chosen by the late Lord Leighton.

Miss Jane Adams, the founder of Hull House, Chicago, has been elected to the position of president of the National Association of Manufacturers.

A fatal case of cholera occurred in West Virginia recently. The victim was a young man who had been visiting in the East. The disease was contracted in the East and proved fatal.

A drawing by Michael Angelo realized, at a recent sale of a collection of drawings of old masters formed by the late Sir John Lubbock, Bart., for \$7,000. The total amount realized for the collection was over \$40,000.

Princess Henry of Battenberg shares the musical tastes of her family, and has been playing the piano since she began at Clonmel, at the suggestion, it is said, of the queen.

James H. H. who is said to be the oldest Nonconformist minister in England in active service, has retired, after a ministry of fifty-seven years, the last thirty-two of which were spent as pastor of the Congregational church of North Finchley.

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A terrible wind storm passed over the city of Chicago, and did much damage and resulted in some loss of life. The storm was accompanied by heavy rain and hail.

Several persons were injured in a collision between a street car and a horse-drawn carriage in Chicago. The street car was driven by a man who was not licensed to drive.

Two shopmen, Sam Chenderson and G. F. Miller of Fort Wayne, Ind., were thrown from the platform of an excursion train and killed.

A fire swept through the business portion of Walnut, Ia., burning three houses and doing much damage, and causing a loss of nearly \$50,000.

During the political excitement at Charleston, Ark., a balcony of the Royal Exchange hotel collapsed while a crowd stood underneath. Several persons were severely and probably fatally injured.

James MacCreedy, formerly an actor well known in the West, and who for the last five years has kept the Hilton Hotel in New York, was killed in a runaway accident. While waiting to take his wife driving the horse ran, throwing him against a telephone pole, fracturing his skull.

A carriage containing twenty-five persons was struck by a Manawva locomotive at Chicago, Ill., in the city limits. The carriage was thrown into the air and the passengers were scattered in all directions. The only ones injured are F. H. Wead, a well known citizen, who had both legs cut off and will die.

A report is in circulation at Spokane, Wash., that a west bound train on the Great Northern road struck a slide above Kootenai Falls, Id., and that the cars were carried from the track into the river. Some of the cars floated in one of the latter, according to the story, were full of tramps who had been stealing a ride.

The New England Granite company's works at Mason, N. H., have been destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at \$100,000. The company has been in business for over twenty years.

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Miss Daisy Craig of Elgin, Ill., was drowned at Pistagua lake, Fox lake. She was a well known social leader in her community.

Grant Harvey and Miss Emma Collier, of Chicago, were killed in a collision between a street car and a horse-drawn carriage in Chicago. The street car was driven by a man who was not licensed to drive.

George Stutz, a marine engineer, shot and killed Mrs. Cora Borden in a Polk street lodging house in San Francisco and then turned back to express himself, sending a bullet into his own brain.

At Philadelphia Capt. Charles Dickman, of the steamship Laurada, was arrested, charged with being implicated in the case of the missing ship, and was held in \$500 bail for trial.

An unsuccessful attempt was made to assassinate the president of the Onondaga Falls, N. Y., by a man named E. H. Gibson, who was shot and killed by a police officer.

A man charged with swindling and who represented himself connected with the national administration, has been arrested in Missouri.

Gwyn Puckett, colored, who assaulted 9-year-old Bessie Lee, was taken from jail at Danville, Ala., by a mob and killed.

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Harry Marx Sundayed at St. Cloud.

Lamb roasts and chops at Bane & Bane's.

For a nice juicy steak go to Bane & Bane's.

Prof. A. E. Fritz returned to St. Cloud Monday.

Mrs. J. P. Hawkins is visiting Minneapolis friends.

H. W. Topping was in the city from St. Paul on Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. Doran and family were in St. Paul on Wednesday.

Nice beef stew 5 cents per pound at Bane & Bane's City Meat Market.

Miss Maud Brinson left on Wednesday evening for Missoula, Mont.

Miss Jennie Campbell, of Elk River, is visiting with the family of I. U. White.

Home made lard 10 cents per pound at Bane & Bane's City Meat Market.

Housekeeping outfits on the installment plan at the Hoffman Bazaar.—If.

Mrs. E. E. Titus left Tuesday for New York, where she will visit for some weeks.

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N. B. Chase has resumed work for the government as estimator of lands and timber in the Red Lake country.

Tobacco users will find, in another column, an item of decided interest to them, headed "Don't Stop Tobacco."

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Murphy, of Aitkin, are the parents of a new daughter, born to them the first of the week.

Miss Claud Duber, of St. Cloud, who has been spending several days with Brainerd friends, returned home on Monday.

There will be no services at the M. E. Church next Sunday morning. The Sunday school will meet in the park at 12 m.

C. A. Wilkins, who has been at Wilmar, returned on Saturday, accompanied by his father and mother, who will make Brainerd their future home.

Mrs. E. W. Lynch was taken to St. Paul yesterday where she will undergo treatment for internal cancer. Mr. Lynch and Dr. G. S. McPherson accompanied her.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Miss Smallwood, Sixth street south, on Wednesday afternoon, July 8th, from 2:30 to 4:30.

The family of Mous Mahlum, who have been in Norway for some time, arrived home Wednesday morning, accompanied by Charles Mahlum, who will make his home in this city.

J. T. Sanborn yesterday morning took charge of the City Hotel and hereafter will have charge of it. Mrs. Closterman will return to Staples where she will again engage in the hotel business.

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The excursion to Walker and Leech Lake tomorrow will be a very enjoyable affair, and those who attend can depend that their comfort will be looked after by the committee in charge. The people of Walker have made great preparations for the reception of their Brainerd neighbors. There will be refreshment stands and edibles in abundance and those who do not desire to take their lunch baskets can be accommodated at moderate prices on the grounds. The train will leave the N. P. depot at 7 a. m., and will stop at East Brainerd and the B. & N. M. depot for the accommodation of passengers.

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Mrs. Sarah L. Sleeper returned from a visit to Minneapolis today.

Frank Murry, of Barnesville, is in the city renewing old acquaintances.

Rev. F. M. Eckman and bride arrived in the city today from Rockford, Ill.

The people of Ft. Ripley will properly celebrate the national holiday to-morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pennell went to Detroit today to visit until after the Fourth.

Ice cream will be served all day and evening July Fourth at the Post-Office News Stand.

Buy one, two or three of those spring chickens at Bane & Bane's Market for your Sunday dinner.

Dr. Williams, of the Chippewa Indian Commission, left on Monday for his home at Oxford, Alabama.

A. L. Nutting is now the proprietor of the post-office news stand having bought F. Luken's interest.

C. D. Johnson left last night for Mankato where he will visit with his relatives and friends for a few days.

John Lound and Matilda Sophia Peterson were united in marriage by Special Municipal Judge Warner on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wieland returned from a month's visit in Ohio on Wednesday, and were accompanied by Miss Sophia Wieland who will remain here during the summer.

James R. Smith left last evening for a month's visit at his old home near Ottawa, Canada, accompanied by his brothers I. N. Smith, of Staples, and Ezra Smith, of Minneapolis.

A union service will be held in the park on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. The Baptist, Congregational and Methodist churches participating. All are cordially invited. Rev. R. C. Opie preaches.

Mrs. E. M. Westfall gave a reception to Miss Jennie Towne and Miss Maud Brinson on Tuesday evening. Between forty and fifty invited guests were present and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

S. L. Bean returned from Saratoga on Tuesday, where he had been in attendance at a convention of master mechanics. The gentleman was greeted on his return by a new son, which was born on Monday last.

Mrs. Geo. B. Foster, of Peoria, Ill., arrived in the city today. Judge Foster will join her here next week, and they will spend some time visiting Mrs. W. A. Fleming, Mrs. Foster's daughter, and other relatives.

General Superintendent Winters and Auditor Snyder, of the Brainerd & Northern Minnesota Railway, returned from an inspection of the road today. Mr. Winters has taken charge and will make his headquarters in this city.

There are to be special services at the Congregational Church next Sunday. Rev. Edmonds completes the third year of his pastorate, and will preach a sermon appropriate to the occasion. This will be followed by the Lord's supper. All are cordially invited to attend.

There seems to be no end to the new ways of celebrating the Fourth of July. The Youth's Companion special number this year has three stories of exciting celebrations each of which is different from any ordinary celebration. This special issue is so attractive that every member of the family will read it.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Drysdale, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Gifford, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Pearce, Mrs. Walker, Miss Tena Drysdale, Miss Kate Pearce, Messrs. Earnest Jones, Ed. Michie, Albert Johnson, R. O. Drysdale, of this city, and Miss Claude Duber and Messrs. J. J. Michaelson, J. J. Fritz, A. E. Fritz, of St. Cloud, spent several enjoyable days at Sanborn's cottage at Lake Umbagog last week.

A. T. Kimball, of Pelican Creek, was in the city Tuesday on his way to St. Paul as a delegate to the state convention. Mr. Kimball states that the destruction to his farm and buildings by the recent break in the government reservoir is even worse than reported in this paper last week. The farm, with the exception of the upland portion, is destroyed for usefulness forever, and the meadows will never be of any benefit to him again. He has removed his family to this city, but is still undecided as to his future action.

People who wish to go to Buffalo to attend the N. E. A. convention, who want fast time, the most excellent train service and superior accommodations, will do well to consider the Nickel Plate road before purchasing tickets. A fare of \$12 for the round trip will apply with \$2.00 added for membership fee. Tickets will be on sale July 5th and 6th with liberal return limit and with privilege of stop over at Chautauque Lake. Additional information cheerfully given on application J. Y. Calahan, General Agent, 111 Adams Street, Chicago, Ill.

The excursion to Walker and Leech Lake tomorrow will be a very enjoyable affair, and those who attend can depend that their comfort will be looked after by the committee in charge. The people of Walker have made great preparations for the reception of their Brainerd neighbors. There will be refreshment stands and edibles in abundance and those who do not desire to take their lunch baskets can be accommodated at moderate prices on the grounds. The train will leave the N. P. depot at 7 a. m., and will stop at East Brainerd and the B. & N. M. depot for the accommodation of passengers.

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BRAINERD'S CELEBRATION.

Tomorrow Will be a Gala Day in This City. Plenty of Fun For All.

The booming of the cannon will awaken the drowsy inhabitants of this city at an early hour tomorrow morning and the start will be in his glory. It is the national holiday and as such will be fittingly observed in Brainerd. The entire programme for the day's sports has been completed and will be carried out to the letter. The forenoon will be given to the calisthenic parade and it will be a sight to see. At 1 p. m. sharp the mounted sword contest will occur and at 1:30 the oration will be delivered by Hon. D. B. Johnson at the City Park. The programme as published in the DISPATCH last week has not been materially changed. The following will give our readers an idea of what they can see and the order in which it will be presented:

RACES, CONTESTS AND PRIZES.

For the most uniquely costumed mounted person in the parade, \$5.00.

For the most uniquely costumed pedestrian in the parade, \$5.00.

For the most uniquely rigged in the parade, \$5.00.

For the most uniquely costumed mounted bicycle rider, male or female, in the parade, \$5.00.

For the most uniquely costumed rider of a solid gold bicycle, male or female, in the parade, \$5.00.

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